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3 July 1968

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Morning Meeting of 3 July 1968

Godfrey noted some indications that a Central Committee meeting may be upcoming in Moscow in the near future.

Godfrey referred to a paper now circulating in the DOD which speculates that the current stand-down in enemy activity in Vietnam is intentional and a sign of good faith on their part. He informed that this matter will be taken up with the ad hoc interagency working group on "indications."

Godfrey drew attention to ominous reports from Guatemala City concerning planned terrorist action.

Maury reported on some of his contacts on the Hill yesterday and briefed on Senator Ervin's testimony before the Henderson subcommittee.



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DD/P advised that Ambassador Byroade, who recently visited Czechoslovakia, is in town. The Director asked that the Ambassador be invited to talk to the BNE and other interested parties on his observations of the Czechoslovak scene.

DDCI commented on [redacted] the significance of the Soviet reply to U. S. proposals for disarmament discussions.

The Director initiated a discussion on the article in today's Washington Post concerning Premier Kosygin's role as leader of the Soviet "peace party."

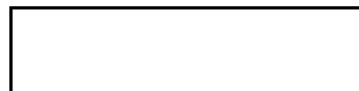
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The Director inquired about the status of plans for professional recruitment next year, thus launching a discussion on various challenges facing Agency supervisors at all levels.

The Director asked about the survey on office space which he requested earlier. ADD/S advised that a study on this subject is now under way.

Executive Director registered concern over the Agency's paper problem and questioned the validity of records management practices and printing requirements.



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